In order to break the logjam, if the Leadership of the House wants me to expand the call to include overall civil justice reform, then I will do so.

Access to quality health care is a right of all Mississippians. The Legislature and I have worked tirelessly to study the crisis of availability and affordability of medical malpractice insurance for our health care providers. We have received input from health care providers, members of the plaintiff's and defense bar, and members of the business community. There is consensus that the system needs to be adjusted.